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**LETTER REQUESTING WITHDRAWAL OF
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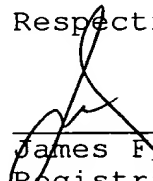
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Sir:

Applicant attaches hereto a copy of a timely response filed May 5, 2000, along with a copy of the date-stamped card acknowledging receipt of the response by the Patent and Trademark Office. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the Notice of Abandonment mailed on November 6, 2000, be withdrawn.

If necessary to effect a timely response, this paper should be considered as a petition for an Extension of Time sufficient to effect a timely response, and please charge any deficiency in fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket #1892/47565).

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